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Cynthia T. Brown
Chief, Section of Administration
Office of Proceedings
Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, SW
Washington, D.C. 20423

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RE:

Finance Docket No. 35557, Reasonableness of BNSF Railway

Company Coal Dust Mitigation Tariff Provisions

Dear Chief Brown:

Pursuant to the Surface Transportation Board decision which was served on December 16, 2011 in the above-captioned docket, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri ("Ameren Missouri") hereby files this Notice of Intent to participate as a Party of Record. Please add Ameren Missouri to the official service list for this docket, as described below:

party of record: representative:

Ameren Missouri Sandra L. Brown

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Copies of all pleadings and other documents filed or served in this proceeding, as well as all decisions and orders, should be served directly upon this representative. If there are any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned counsel for Ameren Missouri.

Sincerely,

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Part of Public Record Sandra L. Brown

Attorney for Ameren Missouri

cc:

Counsel for Western Coal Traffic League and BNSF Railway Company

James A. Sobule